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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff/Respondent,

VS.

MARTIN PARRA-SALGADO,

Defendant/Petitioner.

CASE NO. 10-CV-1322 BEN (09-CR-3155)

ORDER DENYING CERTIFICATE OF APPEALABILITY

Concurrently herewith, the Court entered judgment denying Petitioner's Motion to Vacate, Set Aside, or Correct Sentence ("Motion") under 28 U.S.C. § 2255. Effective December 1, 2009, this Court must issue or deny a certificate of appealability when it enters a final order adverse to the applicant. Rule 11 foll. 28 U.S.C. § 2255; 28 U.S.C. § 2253; Fed.R.App.P. 22(b). For the reasons set forth below, the Court **DENIES** certificate of appealability as to all claims asserted by Petitioner in his Motion.

A certificate of appealability ("COA") is authorized "if the applicant has made a substantial showing of the denial of a constitutional right." 28 U.S.C.A. § 2253(c)(2). The applicant must meet the "substantial showing" standard with respect to each issue he or she seeks to raise on appeal. Lambright v. Stewart, 220 F.3d 1022, 1024 (9th Cir. 2000). "The issue of whether to grant a COA becomes somewhat more complicated where, as here, the district court dismisses the (claims) based on procedural grounds." Lambright v. Stewart, 220 F.3d 1022, 1026 (9th Cir. 2000), quoting Slack

v. McDaniel, 529 U.S. 473, 484 (2000). In that situation, this Court "must decide whether 'jurists of reason would find it debatable whether the petition states a valid claim of the denial of a constitutional right" and "whether 'jurists of reason would find it debatable whether the district court was correct in its procedural ruling." *Id.*

In this case, the Court finds that reasonable jurists would not find it debatable that Petitioner was denied a constitutional right or that the district court was not correct in its procedural ruling. Slack, 529 U.S. at 484; Lambright, 220 F.3d at 1026. Accordingly, the Court hereby **DENIES** certificate of appealability to all claims set forth in Petitioner's Motion.

IT IS SO OXDERED.

Date: $6/\sqrt{2}$, 2010

Hon. Roger T. Benitez

Judge, United States District Court

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